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MODULATING VASCULARIZATION

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AMENDMENT IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

MS RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Advisory Action mailed August 7, 2006 (the "Action"), maintaining the final rejection of claims 49-52, 54-65, and 68, please enter for consideration the Amendment and Remarks herein with the Request for Continued Examination filed concurrently herewith for the above-identified U.S. patent application and a request for a three month extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.